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The Honorable Joseph J. Farnan, Jr. United States District Court 844 King Street Wilmington, DE 19801

Re: GTECH Corporation v. Scientific Games International, Inc., et

al., Civil Action No. 04-138-JJF

Dear Judge Farnan:

I am writing on behalf of plaintiff GTECH Corporation concerning the pre-trial conference that was set for January 12, 2006 but has now been rescheduled to January 18, 2006 at 11:00 a.m.

Unfortunately, lead trial counsel for plaintiff has a long-standing, pre-paid family vacation set for next week, during which time the pre-trial conference has been rescheduled. This vacation was scheduled under the assumption that the pretrial conference would go forward on January 12, 2006 as previously ordered. Therefore, plaintiff respectfully requests the Court, if possible, to move the date of the pre-trial conference for some time on or after January 20, 2006. Defendants' counsel is aware of this conflict, and to our understanding does not object to moving the date. Counsel is available at the Court's convenience for any questions.

Respectfully Submitted.

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